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Neelkamal Steels Private Limited: Continues to remain under issuer Non-Cooperating category

Summary of rating action

| Instrument^ | Previous Rated Amount (Rs. crore) | Current Rated Amount (Rs. crore) | Rating Action |
|----------------|---|--|---|
| Long Term-Fund | 11.00 | 11.00 | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating |
| Based-Cash | | | continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category |
| Credit | | | |
| Long Term-Fund | 10.00 | 10.00 | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating |
| Based-Term | | | continues to remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category |
| Loan | | | |
| Short Term-Non | 5.00 | 5.00 | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*; Rating continues to |
| Fund Based- | | | remain under 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category |
| Others | | | |
| Total | 26.00 | 26.00 | |

^{*}Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

Rationale

ICRA has kept the Long-Term and Short-Term ratings of Neelkamal Steels Private Limited in the 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category. The ratings are denoted as "[ICRA]B+ (Stable)/[ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING".

ICRA has been trying to seek information from the entity so as to monitor its performance. Further, ICRA has been sending repeated reminders to the entity for payment of surveillance fee that became due. Despite repeated requests by ICRA, the entity's management has remained non-cooperative. The current rating action has been taken by ICRA basis best available/dated/ limited information on the issuers' performance. Accordingly, the lenders, investors and other market participants are advised to exercise appropriate caution while using this rating as the rating may not adequately reflect the credit risk profile of the entity. The rating action has been taken in accordance with ICRA's policy in respect of non-cooperation by a rated entity available at www.icra.in.

Please refer to the following link for the previous detailed rationale that captures Key rating drivers and their description, Liquidity position, Rating sensitivities, Key financial indicators: <u>Click here</u> ICRA is unable to provide the latest information because of non-cooperation by the entity.

Analytical approach

| Analytical Approach | Comments | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| | Policy in respect of non-cooperation by the rated entity | | |
| Applicable Rating Methodologies | Corporate Credit Rating Methodology | | |
| | Rating Methodology - Ferrous Metals | | |
| Parent/Group Support | NA | | |
| Consolidation/Standalone | Standalone | | |

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[^]Instrument details are provided in Annexure-1



About the company

Incorporated in 2005, Neelkamal Steels Private Limited (NSPL) manufactures mild steel (MS) billets and TMT (Thermomechanically treated) bars. The company has two manufacturing facilities located in Patna, Bihar. In Unit-I, NSPL has a rolling mill with an installed capacity of 96,000 tonnes per annum (TPA) and a steel-melting shop (SMS) to manufacture MS billets with an installed capacity of 51,300 TPA. In Unit-II, NSPL has set up two induction furnaces to manufacture MS billets with a total installed capacity of 57,800 TPA.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: NA

Any other information: None

Rating history for past three years

| | | Current Rating (FY2024) | | | Y2024) | Chronology of Rating History for the past 3 years | | | |
|---|-------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| | Instrument | Туре | Amount Rated (Rs. Crore) | Amount Outstanding (Rs. Crore) | Date & Rating in | Date & Rating in FY2023 | Date & Rating in FY2022 | Date & Rating in FY2020 | |
| | | | | | 29-Sep-2023 | 25-Jul-2022 | 19-May-2021 | 27-Feb-2020 | |
| | | Long | | | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); | [ICRA]BB+ (Stable); | |
| 1 | Cash Credit | Long | 11.00 | - | ISSUER NOT | ISSUER NOT | ISSUER NOT | ISSUER NOT | |
| | | Term | | | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | |
| | | Long Term | 10.00 | - | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); | [ICRA]BB+ (Stable); | |
| 2 | Term Loan | | | | ISSUER NOT | ISSUER NOT | ISSUER NOT | ISSUER NOT | |
| | | | | | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | |
| | Non Fund | Short Term | 5.00 | - | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER | [ICRA]A4+; ISSUER | |
| 3 | 3 | | | | NOT | NOT | NOT | NOT | |
| | Based | | | | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | COOPERATING | |

Complexity level of the rated instrument

| Instrument | Complexity Indicator | | |
|----------------|----------------------|--|--|
| Cash Credit | Simple | | |
| Term Loan | Simple | | |
| Non Fund Based | Very Simple | | |

The Complexity Indicator refers to the ease with which the returns associated with the rated instrument could be estimated. It does not indicate the risk related to the timely payments on the instrument, which is rather indicated by the instrument's credit rating. It also does not indicate the complexity associated with analysing an entity's financial, business, industry risks or complexity related to the structural, transactional, or legal aspects. Details on the complexity levels of the instruments, is available on ICRA's website: Click Here

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Annexure-1: Instrument details

| ISIN | Instrument | Date of Issuance | Coupon | Maturity | Amount Rated | Current Pating and Outlook | |
|------|----------------|--------------------|--------|----------|----------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| No | Name | / Sanction | Rate | Date | (RS Crore) | Current Rating and Outlook | |
| NA | Cash Credit | _ | _ | | 11.00 | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); ISSUER NOT | |
| | Casii Cledit | _ | _ | - | 11.00 | COOPERATING | |
| NA | Term Loan | _ | _ | - 10.00 | | [ICRA]B+ (Stable); ISSUER NOT | |
| | Term Loan | _ | _ | _ | 10.00 | COOPERATING | |
| NA | Non Fund Based | on Fund Based 5.00 | | 5.00 | [ICRA]A4; ISSUER NOT | | |
| | Non Fund based | | | | 3.00 | COOPERATING | |

Source: Neelkamal Steels Private Limited

Annexure-2: List of entities considered for consolidated analysis: Not Applicable

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